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SUBJECT: LANDING CRAFT SPECIFICATIONS

REF: (1) PARIS 25389

1. SPECIFICATIONS OF LANDING CRAFT REQUESTED PER REFTTEL:

(A) TYPE: LCM (B) DRAFT (LOADED): ONE METER (C) LENGTH:

56 FT. (D) BEAM: 14 FT, 4 IN. (E) WEIGHT (DRY): 53,500

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LBS. (F) CAPACITY: 34 TONS (G) APPROXIMATE COST (INCLUDING

DECK SHIPMENT TO DAKAR): 70,000 DOLS. (H) AVAILABILITY:
UNK.

2. FOR BAMAKO: AID/W NOT REPEAT NOT CONSIDERING LCM AT
THIS TIME. QUESTIONS RAISED BY REFTTEL, HOWEVER, INCLUDE
NAVIGABILITY OF NIGER RIVER FROM BAMAKO TO GAO DURING
DRY SEASON, AVAILABILITY OF NECESSARY FUEL AND REPAIR
FACILITIES TO SERVICE LCM, ETC. ADDITIONALLY, SMALL
CARRYING CAPACITY OF LCM RAISES CONSIDERABLE DOUBT ITS
FEASIBILITY FOR STORAGE PURPOSES. RUSH

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